

Paragraphs

What's Heading Our Way Is No Panic

A socialist is a fellow who looks in a filing cabinet for absolutely everything — and if he doesn't find it there he says it doesn't exist.

This item may not have been published yet, but a two-line "filler" in the business books section reported that in early times books were so scarce they were chained to the book-stalls. Nowadays books are plentiful and it's the students who have to be chained.

Hot Springs Era tells me that Jimmy (Suffly) Montgomery, 14-year-old Spauld who is the "Boy of the Year" award from the Boys Clubs of America (we had his picture on this page yesterday), is an "it" boy in the newspaper carrier business. He is a newspaper carrier in the Big Town, without being short-changed.

What's coming down the road for American business doesn't look like any depression to me.

The air and the press are full of statistics, statements and speculations — all because there has been some price revision in commodities. But prices go up — and go down in the business books. The only alternative would be a planned economy. OPA and the like — something most Americans despise.

So commodity prices level off a bit, and each business man watches the items that belong to his own trade. In the newspaper business we are charmed by the news that lead has taken a third drop (it's the major ingredient in the process of printing slugs; and the collapse of the paper-price newsprint indicates, we hope, that cheaper paper will be available by the end of this year. It is due. The U. S. contract price for newsprint in rolls delivered in full railroad cars in Hope is \$104 a ton.

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Crackdown on Blackmarket in Rent Predicted

By FRANCIS M. LE MAY

Washington, March 30 — (AP) — Capitol Hill heard predictions today that the new rent control act will set off a government crackdown on a rent "blackmarket."

President Truman was expected to sign, in plenty of time, the "home rule" legislation that continues rent control for another 15 months.

Just two days before the present controls are set to die at midnight Thursday, congress late yesterday tossed the new compromise bill to the White House by overwhelming vote.

1. Rep. Patman (D-Tex.) said it will mean a "rollback of illegal rents," as well as increased rents on some properties where landlords are not now showing a profit. He said it will put an end to the rent "blackmarket" that Tighe Woods, rent administrator, reported to be growing throughout the country.

2. House Democratic Leader McCormack (Mass.) said in his opinion there won't be any big increases in rent for anyone, and most rents probably won't be increased at all.

3. Paul J. Betters, executive director of the U. S. conference of mayors, predicted no major city will drop rent controls under the "home rule" provisions of the bill, that allows states or localities to throw off the controls.

Mr. Truman was described by friends who talked with him as "clashed" over the legislation, although it falls short of what he

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Salvation Army Unit Reports on Activities

A meeting of the Hope and Hempstead County Salvation Army Service Unit Committee was held Tuesday afternoon in the City Hall.

The report of the activities was given by the Treasurer Roy Anderson and discussion of the same was held by Guy Bayne, chairman of the local committee.

The report revealed that a number of people had been assisted with food, clothing, lodging, transportation, medicine and other needs.

Plans for extending this service were discussed and some of the problems arising in connection with the work of the committee was discussed.

The Salvation Army begin their operations in Hempstead County through the local service unit committee last year with their first campaign conducted in May at which time \$2,000 was raised.

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Young Victim of Lukemia Dies at Stephens

Stephens, March 30 — (AP) — Little James LaMar Tribble didn't get to watch his litter of pigs grow up.

The nine-year-old boy, who doctors said had been suffering with leukemia for about four months, died at his home near here today. He had been blind since last Saturday.

Hundreds of presents, including a pet rabbit, gold fish, a Bible and more than \$100 in cash, had been sent to James by friends during the last few weeks.

His father, P. C. Tribble, obtained a litter of pigs and placed them outside James' window. The youngster said he wanted to watch them grow.

Also surviving are his mother and a sister.

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Dog Goes on Trial

Five-year-old Patricia Ann Baker sobs while "Dixie," her Newfound dog, tries to comfort her during a recess of a trial in Weymouth, Mass. Selection of the town is to decide if "Dixie" is a public nuisance and vicious. With the little girl and her dog are Mrs. Neal Baker, the girl's parents.



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U. S. General May Be Court-Martialed

Frankfurt, March 30 — (UP) — U. S. air force headquarters announced today that Maj. Gen. Clayton L. Bissell, former assistant army chief of staff, has been charged under the articles of war and may be court-martialed.

The announcement said Bissell's alleged acts while military and air attaché in the U. S. embassy in London were being investigated to determine whether he should be brought before a court martial.

Bissell has arrived in Europe for the investigation the announcement said. The only article of war mentioned in the air force statement was 48-B, which provides for a pre-trial investigation.

Under army regulations, a charge is preferred before such an investigation. However, there was no indication of the nature of the charge against Bissell.

The announcement was signed by Lt. Gen. John K. Cannon, air force commander in Europe. It was Bissell would be represented during the investigation by John E. Hughes, Washington and Chicago attorneys.

Bissell was in command of the 10th air force at the outbreak of World War II and in 1943 was made chief of the army air force intelligence. In 1944, he was promoted to assistant army chief of staff in charge of intelligence and continued in that post until the end of war.

Bissell went to the U. S. embassy in London as military and air attaché in May, 1946, and served there until last July.

The 52-year-old Bissell is a native of Kane, Pa., was one of the army's pioneer airmen. He began as a private 1st class in the aviation section of the signal corps in 1917. He served with the 148th fighter squadron and commanded the 638th fighter squadron.

He was in Coblenz with the U. S. army of occupation after World War I.

He expected foreign aviation in Europe for the army in 1921 and was assistant to the late Gen. Billy Mitchell from 1921 to 1924. He also served as advance officer for the first round-the-world flight.

Among his decorations are the American Legion distinguished service cross, distinguished service medal and silver star, distinguished flying cross and air medal, the order of the British Empire, the British Distinguished Flying Cross, the Order of the Crown of Italy, the Italian War Cross, and the Chilean Order of Merit.

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Doug. Fairbanks, Jr. Knighted by King of England

Hollywood, March 30 — (AP) — Old Doug Fairbanks' boy is going to be knighted by the king of England.

Douglas Fairbanks Jr. was notified yesterday that he had been made an honorary knight commander of the most excellent order of the British empire for his work in Anglo-American relations and for his chairmanship of CARE.

"I'm just about speechless," said the 39-year-old actor shortly after he was notified of the award, probably unprecedented to any American in the acting profession.

He said he was "taken completely by surprise" by the joint notification from the British consulate here and in Washington.

He plans to go to Buckingham palace to receive the knighthood in formal ceremony in late spring or early summer.

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Syria Army Chief Takes Over, Sets Up Dictatorship

By The Associated Press
Diplomatic sources in Cairo today said Gen. HnonyEzsa Ioni, commander in chief of the Syrian army, has seized the government of Syria and proclaimed himself dictator.

The informants said El Zain broadcast over the Damascus radio that Syria is under martial law. The broadcast was quoted as saying the general took over as "without the country of certain elements who do not act in Syria's interests."

Rioting flared in Syria last December, reflecting popular resentment over the government's handling of the Palestine war with Israel. The people, chagrined at Arab reverses, felt their leaders had bungled.

The December flareup resulted in the resignation of Premier Jamil Mardam Bey and his cabinet. Mardam Bey himself fled the country.

A successor cabinet under Premier Khaled Bey Azem since has agreed to negotiate with Israel in efforts to work out an armistice agreement.

There was no word what happened to Azem's regime following the coup.

A Rhodes dispatch said yesterday two emissaries of Dr. Ralph Bunche, acting United Nations mediator, were leaving for Damascus to lay groundwork for armistice negotiations between Syria and Israel.

Gen. Charles De Gaulle has told newsmen in Paris he wants the United States to arm France at once as the principal defender of western Europe under the North Atlantic alliance.

De Gaulle declared the allied strategy designates the Rhine as the first line of defense against attack from the east, but said that line will be manned principally by Frenchmen.

Foreign ministers of four western European nations arrived in New York today aboard the Queen Mary en route to Washington for the signing of the Atlantic pact next week. Countries represented by the group are Britain, Belgium, Holland and Luxembourg.

Representatives of the U. S. air force were reported in critical condition. A large home in Blackwell was unroofed, a half dozen smaller houses were damaged and a 1-story frame school house flattened.

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Four Storms Hit Oklahoma Killing Two

Canton, Okla., March 30 — (AP) — Tornadoes struck four times in northwest Oklahoma today, killing two, injuring 16 and causing heavy property damage.

Canton, Longdale and Blackwell were hit. A tornado also dipped down five miles north of Enid, and wrecked a small airport.

The greatest damage was to the first town. Canton a town of 1,200 and nearby Longdale, 400.

The dead were in Canton and Longdale.

In Canton the storm hit hardest in the northwest residential area where the business district, but the entire town was damaged. Streets were littered with trees, boards, bricks and wrecked autos. At least 10 residences were destroyed and more than 25 others were very heavily damaged. Nearly every business building was knocked down or damaged.

At Longdale the damage was not as great as first feared. Two business buildings were demolished and many houses damaged — but none were flattened.

The tornado in Blackwell struck the south and southwest residential areas of that city of 12,000.

Six persons were taken to hospitals in Blackwell and two were soon released. None of the others was reported in critical condition.

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Victim of Shooting Sinking

Little Rock, March 30 — (

Social and Personal

Phone 1268 or 1269 Between 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.

Social Calendar
Wednesday, March 30
The V. F. W. Auxiliary will have a social Wednesday night, at the V. F. W. Hut, at 7:30 o'clock. This is an important meeting and all members are urged to attend.

Thursday, March 31
The Study Course sponsored by the Jett B. Graves Sunday School Class of the First Methodist Church, scheduled to meet this Thursday, has been postponed until Thursday, March 31.

Friday, April 1st
The regular Club Dance will be held at the Hope Country Club Friday night from 8 to 12. All members are invited to attend.

Invitations have been issued by Miss Frances Bigler, International Field Representative of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, for an informal rushing reception, Friday, April 1st, at 7:30 p.m. in the Hotel Barlow private dining room.

Saturday, April 2nd
The Misses T. A. will have a rummage sale, Saturday April second. Please send your rummage to the school or phone 810-W. Location of the sale will be announced later.

Supper Meeting
Held at Baptist Church Monday Night

The regular monthly Sunday School Workers Council of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday night at 6:45 for the supper meeting and individual group programs.

Following the supper meeting and the general assembly, Mr. H. H. Thrash, Sunday School Supt., showed the group a special motion picture, "By Jupiter," which was enjoyed by all.

Coming and Going
Lt. (jg) and Mrs. E. H. Bizzell and children left last week for their new home in Whitley Island, Washington. Mrs. Bizzell and children spent the past year with her parents. Mrs. and Mrs. J. W. Harper while Lt. Bizzell was stationed in Adak.

Billy Ray Seale left Sunday for Kermitt, Texas, and will be joined by Mrs. Seale later.

Miss Mable Smithy of Camden spent Tuesday with friends in Hope.

Misses Margaret Blake, Edith Ward, Jo Ann Burroughs, Betty Little, Mary Elizabeth Coleman, Jeanne Nell Wakefield, Claudine Stewart, Kathleen Walker, Mrs. Ben Owens, Mrs. James E. Birkhead and Reverend and Mrs. S. A. Whitlow motored to Little Rock Tuesday afternoon to attend the Y. W. A. state banquet Tuesday.

RIALTO
TODAY - THURSDAY
FEATURES
2:47 - 4:50 - 6:53 - 8:56
"SEVEN SINNERS"
with
MARLENE DIETRICH
JOHN WAYNE
ALBERT DEKKER
PLUS
COLOR CARTOON
FEATURETTE

SAENGER
TODAY THURS.
A Vicious Story of Cold-Blooded Swindlers!
DAN DURYEA - PAYNE
JOAN CAULFIELD
in
LARCENY
with Shelley Waters Dorothy Hart

SAVE THIS COUPON
IT'S WORTH \$2.00 TO YOU
The Holder of this Coupon Will Receive a Large 8x10 Size
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TOOLEY-MYRON STUDIO - HOTEL HENRY
Hope, Ark.
Thursday, March 31 or Friday, April 1
From 12 a. m. to 7 p. m.

Taylor Back in South Stirring Up Race Issue

Birmingham, Ala., March 30 — (UP)—Sen. Glen Taylor, D., Ida., was back in this deep south city today to continue a court fight which he hopes will end up by invalidating city Jim Crow laws.

The fracas dates back to early 1948, when Taylor ran afoul of Birmingham's racial segregation laws while campaigning as Henry Wallace's running mate on the Progressive party ticket.

The Idaho senator tried to walk through a door marked for Negroes, claiming his civil rights had been violated. Today, nearly a year later, he appears at a hearing on his appeal.

When he arrived here last night, Taylor said the only reason he is keeping the fight alive is to "see that city segregation laws are declared unconstitutional."

"If I can win here, that would be fine. I don't care whether the law is declared unconstitutional here or in Washington," Taylor said.

If he loses here, the senator indicated, he will appeal the decision to the U. S. supreme court.

The first use of the "American flag" in a military ceremony on Aug. 2, 1947, the flag having been made from crude clothing found in a fort under siege by the British.

Approximately six million displaced persons have willingly returned to their homes all over Europe.

In the American zone of Germany, about half a million remain, however. They will not or cannot return to homes which are now behind the iron curtain. Persecution, enslavement and death await them in the lands of the dictators, rule, or where racial hatred flames.

Repatriation trains from the DP's last year, seeking to persuade them to return to their native lands, were Russian-dominated. They were often met by jeers, and embarrassing questions greeted these "persuaders" on their way home.

A tragic group among the DP's is made up of youngsters who can remember no real home anywhere. They have no desire to go to lands which hold horrible memories for their families, and which hold so little hope for young people.

There is a variety of skills and talents among the DP's. Surveys among these 150 occupational skills of military service in Germany, I was frequently in DP camps. I was often impressed with the things they turned out with a few dollars and salvaged materials. Their efforts to earn money under miserable conditions were especially touching.

The U. S. Army employs scores of DP's in Germany today. My first jeep was driven by an Estonian. A brighter youngster I've never seen. Not only was he a good driver, but he was my interpreter as well, for he spoke several languages. Canada is his desired home. I am sure he will succeed there. Many of his countrymen are doing.

Several European countries, including France, Belgium, and England were admitting selected displaced persons long before the United States took action to do the same. Australia likewise is welcoming many of them. Under present quotas, our nation is to take 90,000. Already, many are arriving.

Mississippi plantation owner of my acquaintance picked about 50 Baltic farmers from DP camps in Germany last year and brought them to the delta country. A recent letter from Germany informs me that the most of them are over there now for the same purpose. There are no harder working farmers anywhere than those of Europe.

For the most part, the DP's are healthy, skilled, and energetic. They are anxious to get out of Germany, which they hate and which hates them. They want to go some place on this earth where they can place to become rejected citizens in a free community. If ever a people were indoctrinated against the evils of nazism, fascism, and communism, these people have been—and the hard way, at that.

Efforts will doubtless be made in the present congress to raise the displaced persons quota. Surely our land is big enough to absorb and to make good use of good citizens from wherever they may come. Our government officials in charge of immigration, however, must be on constant guard to keep out criminal elements, the hopelessly sick, and those whose political thought is subversive to the American way of life.

'DP' Problem Still With the Allies

By E. C. DEANE
El Dorado, March 30 — (Special)—Nothing and street fighting by "displaced persons" in Berlin recently brought back to the front pages of American newspapers an unpleasant reminder to us all. The "DP" problem is still with us. Watching over about half a million and well-to-do heads of one of the greatest headaches our army has in the American occupied zone of Germany.

Seeing that the DP's get food, clothing, medicine, and other essentials is a major activity of some 20 relief and welfare agencies.

What's to be done? These thousands of tragic people are one of humanity's pressing problems of the day.

There has been a great deal of controversy about the DP's. Just why they are, and why they are still in Germany, is a question in the minds of many Americans.

At war's end, nearly seven million displaced persons were found in the areas Germany conquered by the western allies. These millions came from all over Europe. They included concentration camp prisoners, slave laborers, children kidnapped by the Nazis, and about 50,000 Jews whom Hitler's killer squads had not got around to executing. Also, there were several thousand others who had fled to Germany to escape the Russian invasion of the little Baltic states.

In all of mankind's history, never have so many people of so many nationalities been uprooted from their homes and left suffering and helpless in the war-torn land of their enemy.

In the summer and fall of 1946, around 120,000 Polish Jews fled in panic from their home to the American zone of Germany. They still are in Poland. Their arrival added new problems.

Many plans have been advanced to solve the DP question. Forcible repatriation to their former homes was advocated by some unthinking people for DP's who would not return voluntarily. The United States would have none of this. To close the DP camps in Germany and leave the people to live as best they could among the Germans was suggested. This was a cruel notion. Indefinite continuance of the camps is not desired by anybody. Best of all, efforts were put in motion to resettle the DP's in new countries, to help them begin life anew.

As time has passed, approxi-

DOROTHY DIX
Millstone Around His Neck

Dear Miss Dix: Two years ago I married a clever and ambitious man and, although he loves me and is good to me, I can see at times he is ashamed of me because I do not know what to say to people nor how to dress properly. My husband would like for me to entertain, but I simply can't do it because I don't know how.

I want to be a help to my husband, instead of a millstone around his neck. Can you give me any advice as to what I should do?

A WIFE WHO IS A DRAWBACK
You are wise to realize that the most devastating emotion a man can feel for his wife is to be ashamed of her. It will kill his love quicker than anything else on earth, for it touches his vanity, his judgment. She bears his name and is part of himself, and he cannot endure for other women to smile covertly at her or lift their eyebrows at her appearance.

So, my dear lady, it is time for you to get busy. Have somebody who speaks beautiful English teach you how to talk. Get her to correct your grammar, your pronunciation, and to teach you the pater of the day, for it is just as bad to be too precise and cultured as it is to be too unconventional in your speech.

Read Newspapers, Magazines
Next read the newspapers and the magazines so that you can keep up with current events. Read books. There is a library club in which good books are regularly discussed. Apply yourself to learning what's going on in the world and before very long you will be able to carry on an intelligent conversation with anyone.

As for clothes, go to a good dressmaker and put yourself in her hands. Perhaps the reason you are ill-dressed is because you are over-dressed and don't wear the right things at the right time.

Then get Emily Post's book on etiquette, which will tell you how to entertain at home.

The American woman is the most versatile creature in the world, and I am sure you can make yourself in to anything you want to.

Dear Dorothy Dix: I am a woman of 27, madly in love with a divorced man who has one child, a little girl of 8. When he was divorced, he gave his child, so if I married this man she would have to live with us.

Now I have a deadly hate in my heart for his former wife and I hate his child because she is also her child. He contends that I should just forget it and that my jealousy is childish. Do you think time will change my attitude when I am married to him?

JANET B.
Answer: No, because jealousy grows by what it feeds upon, and the more you brood upon this subject the more morbid will become. The more distorted your vision will be, the less capable you will be of seeing things in their true proportion.

But don't marry this man if you hate his little girl. It is a crime against both of them. A stepmother takes a great responsibility upon herself, and unless she can be a real mother and give a mother's love and tenderness to her husband's children, she has no right to take their young lives into her hands.

It seems to me that you are deliberately ruining your life by indulging in this orgy of hate. If you want to be happy, if you even want to be sane, you must put that away from you or otherwise it will poison you, body and soul.

Dear Dorothy Dix: What can a mother do when she sees her son growing into a spoiled, self-centered, selfish man, all because the girls are constantly running after him? Girls take him to places of amusement in their cars, although he has perfectly good car of his own. He breaks dates with them when he pleases, with no apologies. When I tell him that I am shocked at his treatment of girls, he says do the old-fashioned and that girls do the cheating and that girls are the ones who are to be blamed. Must the girls of today use this method to get their man?

Answer: In every age women have been wise to the love game, and doubtless the modern girl uses drastic measures to get her man, but there is no denying it does spoil him and is poor preparation for marriage. For if the girl has chased a man before marriage, he will naturally expect that she should be so grateful to him for marrying her that she should spend the balance of her life trying to please him.

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Prescott News

Wednesday 3
The choir of the First Methodist church will have choir practice at the church at 7 o'clock.

The First Presbyterian church will meet at the church at 7:15 o'clock for practice.

There will be a mid-week meeting at the First Christian church at 7:30 Wednesday evening.

Teachers and officers of the First Baptist church will have a meeting at the church at 7 p. m. There will be prayer meeting at 7:45 and choir rehearsal at 8:00.

There will be choir practice at 7 p. m. at the Central Baptist church followed with prayer service and Bible study.

Thursday, March 31
The community choir will practice Thursday night at 7:15 at the Methodist church. The Cantata will be given April 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Haynie celebrated their birthday anniversary with a family reunion at their home on Route 1, Prescott on Sunday.

A delicious dinner was served buffet style to Mr. and Mrs. Coy Dewoody, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dewoody and daughter, Sherry, Earl Haynie, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bules and children, Jackie, Charles, Mary Nell, Martha and Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Haynie and children, George, Earl, Wayne, James, Edward, Douglas, and Joyce, F. S. McClelland, Bobbie Haynie, Sheila Haynie and Mr. and Mrs. George Haynie of Little Rock.

Miss Nina Cathryn Scott, Nevada County Chairman of the 1949 March of Dimes fund campaign of the National Infantile Paralysis Foundation has announced that a total of \$10,000 was collected during the drive in Nevada County last month. Half of this collection, from which an expense account of \$135 will be deducted, will be left in the county for use by county residents.

Miss Scott announced that \$463.28 would be deposited in the local bank and would be available as needed in the county.

Miss Scott expressed appreciation to county residents for their cooperation in this drive and to those who assisted in making the campaign a success.

Members of the Prescott Country Club met recently at the McRae and Thompsons office and the following officers were elected for the year: President, Hubert W. Tucker; Vice-president, Douglas McSwain; Secretary, Mary Jo Hamilton; Caretaker, John A. Davis.

Those who wish to become members of the Club may do so now by paying \$25. plus tax, which is the yearly fee.

Those who desire to play the course may do so by paying a fifty cent green fee.

The recently organized chapter of Future Teachers of America has selected the following officers: President, Marion Hart; Vice-president, Bobbie Box; Secretary and Treasurer, Margie Bell; Publicity Director, Mary Louise Parrish; and William Cole. This chapter is being sponsored by Upper Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, has made application to the National organization for a charter. The chapter of the Charter, for local installations services will be held. Mrs. Lucille Elgin, who is a member of the State Committee for F. T. A. was present for the organization meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dorris spent the week-end in Longview, Texas as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cox.

Miss Nona Kathryn Eagle has re-

turned to Hendrix College, Conway after spending the spring holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John A. Eagle.

Mrs. S. B. Gee, Miss Artie Gee and Ed Bailey of Texarkana attended the Anthony-Routon wedding in Hope on Sunday.

Conrad White, student at A & M College at Stillwater, Okla., spent the week-end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jewell White. He also sang in the Anthony-Routon wedding that was solemnized in Hope, Sunday.

Mrs. Clarke White has returned from Fayetteville, where she spent the week-end with her daughter, Miss Gertrude Clarke who attends the Univ. of Ark.

Jim Thomas, has resumed his studies at Hendrix College, Conway after having been the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Thomas.

Miss Opal Daniel of Hope was the week-end guest of Miss Hazel Matlock.

Mrs. Janie Mae Lucas has returned from Macon, Miss., where she was called on account of the death of her father-in-law, Ernest Lucas.

Ralph Hardy Carrington, who attends Henderson College, Arkadelphia spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Josephine Carrington.

Crackdown

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The senate approved the bill 78 to 11 and the house stamped on a 282 to 143 vote, after weeks of bitter debate.

"Victory" for the tenant, was at the same time assuring "a fair net operating income" for landlords. But Senator Bricker (R-Ohio) asked where the relief for the landlord saving the new bill leaves the rent administrator power to do as he pleases.

A statement from the rent administrator said the new bill "would provide a much more equitable method of adjusting rents than the one under existing law," adding: "It would treat all landlords equitably and would grant relief to those landlords who need it most because they are in the worst operating position."

Here are the major provisions of the bill:

Home rule — the legislation sets up a process for removal of rent controls by states, cities or other local areas. Individual legislatures could remove controls throughout a state or in parts of a state. The government body of a city or other locality could pass a resolution calling for decontrol and, if the state governor approved, then rent controls would end there.

Landlord profits — the rent administrator is required to fix rents at levels to assure landlords a "fair net operating income. So far as practicable."

Evictions — resorts old OPA powers for the rent expeditor to control evictions.

GET AFTER RHEUMATIC PAIN!
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C-2223 A FAMOUS FAVORITE FOR RHEUMATIC PAIN

Mitchum Free After Serving Time

Los Angeles, March 30 — (AP)—Movie hero Robert Mitchum was released from the county jail today after serving 50 days on his conviction of conspiring to possess marijuana.

"This has been a milestone in my life," Mitchum drawled as he headed for a taxicab. Before I went in, I was reconciled. I had satisfied myself that I should go to jail.

"I have gained a vast amount of experience. As a citizen and taxpayer (he makes \$3,250 a week) I think the wisest thing I could do is a good place to start a man's rehabilitation. Most men get into trouble from selfishness and prolonged adolescence. So the ranch is a better place to put a man than in a jail cage."

The ranch is the country prison farm, where Mitchum made cement blocks for most of his term. Earlier Mitchum said he has his eye on another career — writing.

The bobby sox idol, about five pounds leaner than when he started his jail term on a conviction of conspiracy to possess marijuana, added, however, he has a few more pictures to make.

But he talked seriously of the writing idea in an interview shortly before his release. "I would like to exploit and express ideas of my own," he said. "I would like to go to writing, if I had the time and the courage. He paused and added: "And I think I have the courage."

The 31-year-old Mitchum, looking tanned and fit from making cement blocks at the sheriff's honor farm, said he felt no bitterness about serving time. His immediate plans, he said, were for home, food, bath and maybe a drink or two.

Actress Lila Leeds, convicted with Mitchum, also completed her jail term of 30 days today. She told reporters: "I'm going to be a very good girl from now on."

Mitchum, Miss Leeds, dancer Robin Evans and Real Estate Agent Robb Ford were arrested last Aug. 31 when narcotics officers raided the secluded canyon cottage of Miss Leeds. All but Miss Evans were convicted and sentenced to jail. Miss Evans was acquitted by a jury.

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In Israel Cabinet



Mrs. Golda Myerson, a former Milwaukee, Wis., schoolteacher, will be labor minister in the first Israeli cabinet. She's a member of Premier David Ben-Gurion's middle-of-the-road Socialist Labor (Mapai) Party.

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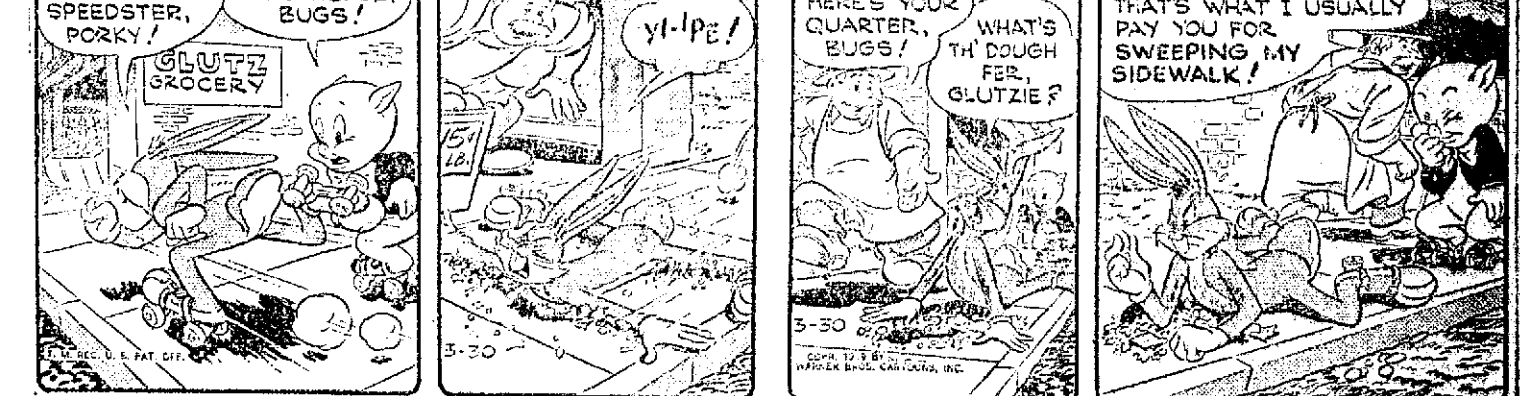
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